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What Lieut. Peary Found in His Exploring Excursion to the North of Greenland.

Dvorak the Musician Coming Over to a Lucrative Post---The Caracas Seizures.

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—The casket containing the body of the late Patrick Sarsfield Gilmore was removed from his late residence, 164 West Eighty-Sixth street, at half-past nine this morning. The funeral procession was headed by a squad of policemen, followed by a carriage containing Father Pradow, pastor of St. Francis Xavier, and Father Denny. The band of 100 pieces came next and three carriages containing floral tributes. The hearse was a mass of roses bearing the arms of the Twenty-second Regiment with the motto "Defenda." A firing squad of 16 men preceded the hearse, which was flanked by members of the Twenty-second Regiment. Directly after the hearse came the pall-bearers, among whom were Hon. Amos J. Cummings, Jos. Howard, jr., Edward Payson Weston and Col. Cockerill. The Twenty-second Regiment with rifles reversed followed the pall-bearers, and friends and relatives in carriages brought up the rear. The procession moved slowly through 86th street to the avenue, to 16th street, to the church. The choir was assisted by a full orchestra led by Nathan Frank, and they rendered the following programme: Handel's "Largo," Mozart's "Requiem Mass." Gounod's "Miserere" and Battiste's "Allegretto." The sermon was preached by Father Pradow, and the requiem mass was celebrated by Father Denny. The body was afterwards taken to Calvary cemetery.

What Peary Saw.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 28.—Lieutenant Peary, the Arctic explorer, made a preliminary verbal report to the Academy of Natural Sciences at its regular meeting last evening. After saying that he was not prepared to make an extended and formal report, he said: "I have been fortunate in being able to carry out almost to the letter the plan of the academy which was the first to see merit in it, and to whose assistance was due the fact that it made the inception possible. I have traced the northern limit of the interior ice cape of Greenland. I have settled that to my own mind, and when you have heard all, I think you will be convinced of the northern limit of the mainland of Greenland. I know by personal knowledge of the existence of enormous glaciers in all the northern Greenland fiords. I have completed the survey of Whale Sound, Davis Bay and Inglefield Gulf. I have had exceptional for studying one of the most unique peoples of the world, the Esquimaux of Northern Greenland, known as the Arctic Highlanders. There are about 2500 in the tribe." In concluding his remarks Lieut. Peary returned to the academy a gold fringed silk American flag, saying that it was "the only flag of any nationality that had seen the return of the sun over the northern ice cape, and the only flag that had floated over the east coast of Greenland above seventy-seven degrees, and been carried along the northern boundary of the mainland." Lieut. Peary was warmly received. Wednesday evening the academy will give a reception to the explorer, his brave wife, the members of his expedition, and of the relief expedition.

Those Caracas Seizures.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—The steamer Caracas, which brought yesterday's budget of news from Venezuela, also contained in her mail a number of official reports for the navy department from the naval representatives in those waters. The most of these reports are from Captain White, Rear-Admiral Walker having been in port only a few hours before the Caracas sailed for the north. His reports were necessarily brief. As to the refugees, it is explained that the demand has been made for them of the existing government at Caracas, but that they have not yet been secured, owing to the inability of the officials to control affairs away from the seat of government. A disposition is shown by the government to do all in its limited power to secure the release of the refugees, who are supposed to be still in prison at Maracaibo, and to make all possible amends to the United States for Urdenata's summary action in arresting them. It now appears for the first time that one of the missions of the cruisers sent south was to investigate a report received through the state department, that our consul at Bolivar had been shot. Admiral Walker and Capt. White both assert that there is no truth in the report of the attack on the consul at Bolivar.

Will Affect British Trade.

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—The Sun says the United States Brazil line ship Alliance will start on Saturday on her first voyage to the Argentine Republic. She carries dry goods, binding twine, telegraph wire, barbed wire and agricultural implements. She will sail direct to Buenos Ayres in accordance with her mail carrying contract. On her way back she will stop at Brazilian ports for additional cargo. Other ships will follow the Alliance, and will doubtless seriously affect the British trade with Buenos Ayres.

Whitelaw Reid's Niece.

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—The marriage of Ella Spencer Reid, niece of Whitelaw Reid, and Judge Ralph Chandler Harrison, was solemnized at Ophir Farm at Rye, Whitelaw Reid's country seat, at a half hour after noon to-day. Only a few friends of the two families were present. Miss Reid has been a member of her uncle's household for several years, and his favorite neice. She is a cripple, and in consequence he has been particularly devoted to her. Judge Harrison is a native of California, where he stands high. The couple first met a few months ago while Miss Reid was visiting the Pacific coast. The bridge is 23 years of age, while the groom is about 40.

A Musical Genius.

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Antonio Dvorak, the composer, who came to this country to act as director of the National Conservatory of Music for three years at a salary of £15,000 a year, was among the passengers of the steamer Saale landed yesterday. Herr Dvorak will be formally welcomed on October 21st at the Conservatory, and a reception will be given in his honor.

Cleveland's Real Policy.

LONDON, Sept. 28.—The St. James's Gazette says concerning Cleveland's letter: "Cleveland's words have but one meaning. The Democrats have no intention whatever of adopting free trade. The Democrats are more tepid for tariff reform to-day than in 1888. We can therefore only coincide in the opinion of party leaders who make it their business to watch public opinion, that the McKinley tariff has not made protection less popular. We have no doubt, even if Cleveland wins, that there will be no great change in the fiscal policy of the United States."

A Very Bitter Almon.

JACKSON, Mich., Sept. 28.—Victor Hamilton was stabbed and killed at Durand to-day by J. K. Almon, editor of the Durand Democrat. Hamilton was drunk and insulting, and upon being ordered out of the office he refused to go, and when shoved out struck Almon with a brick. Almon seized a knife and cut Hamilton three times in the breast. Hamilton was a newspaper man, and son of Col. J. E. Hamilton, a wealthy and prominent citizen of Solmes County. Only last week Almon shot and killed a desperate negro near Durand.

Druggists in Session.

MONTREAL, Sept. 28.—Wholesale druggists from all parts of the United States as well as from the Dominion are in attendance upon the annual convention of the National Wholesale Druggists' Association, which opened here yesterday. It is said that the action of certain eastern members of the association who have largely advanced the prices of various drugs and disinfectants, in view of the possible invasion of cholera, will be brought to the attention of the convention.

War on the Smugglers.

MONTREAL, Sept. 27.—Messrs. Grose and Carpenter, detectives, have been appointed by Mr. Chapleau, Minister of Customs, to prevent smuggling on the lower St. Lawrence. These two officers will have charge of a large body of detectives, who will be instructed to put down smuggling with an iron hand. This new position will not interfere with the firm's secret service business in this city.

With Two Millions Capital.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 28.—The gentlemen interested in the erection of a sugar refinery in this city in opposition to the sugar trust had a meeting yesterday and came to an understanding. The new company is to be known as the McCahan Sugar Refining Company. The capital is two millions. Officers were elected as follows: President, W. J. McCahan; treasurer, Richard Pomery; secretary, W. J. McCahan, jr. The capacity of the refinery is to be regulated by the demand.

The American Naval Review.

WASHINGTON, D.C., Sept. 28.—It has been definitely decided to have the steamers Baltimore and Boston come to this coast for participation in the naval review at the conclusion of Rear Admiral Gherardi's visit to the South Pacific ports. The department had thought of bringing the entire Pacific squadron to the review, but objection being raised by citizens of the Pacific coast against being left unprotected, it has been decided to bring only two vessels to this coast.

Rotten to the Core.

BUFFALO, N.Y., Sept. 28.—The state banking department has made application for the appointment of a receiver for the Life and Reserve Association. Affidavits were made that the funds of the association were short and that the deficit would reach $120,000. Judge Lewis yesterday reserved his decision until Friday. The report of the state bank examiner says that the association is rotten to the core.

Quite an Old Place.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Sept. 28.—The 350th anniversary of the discovery of San Diego Bay is being celebrated here on an extensive scale to-day. The ceremonies included a municipal parade, followed by a mass meeting and speeches. The town is elaborately decorated in honor of the occasion.

Tomahawked Redskins.

ASHLAND, Wis., Sept. 28.—The Sioux Indians on the reservation here are greatly excited over the murder of Benneesh, a member of the tribe, and his wife. The woman was tomahawked. There was an inquest without results yesterday.

No Cases in New York.

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—The Board of Health posted the usual daily bulletin this morning stating that there have been no cases of cholera in this city since 19th inst.

Masquerade Ball.

The first masquerade ball of the season takes place at Omineca Hall, No. 5 Oriental avenue, on Tuesday, Oct. 4th. Music by the Bantly family.

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THE EXHIBITION OPENED.

Lieut.-Governor Nelson Congratulates the Society and the Exhibitors.

He Refers to the Strides Made in the Different Industries of the Province.

To-morrow the Principal Day of the Exhibition—Declared a Civic Holiday.

The gates at the British Columbia Agricultural Society's grounds were thrown open to the general public at 9 o'clock this morning, and before long there was a crowd of spectators viewing the various goods on exhibition. The rain was pouring down, but even this could not keep the enthusiasts out of the stock yard, and the animals underwent a critical inspection. They could well stand it, for it is safe to say that never before has such a fine lot of animals been seen at any exhibition in British Columbia. Since yesterday a great many horses and cattle have been entered, and this morning if one more animal had been brought in he would have found it hard to obtain shelter. There was not a vacant stall around the semicircle in which there were representatives of almost every breed of horses, cattle, sheep and pigs.

Among the new arrivals in the stock yard are several fine looking horses. Mr. B. Gordon's thoroughbred mare Alda and his thoroughbred stallion Aberdeen are on the list. Aberdeen was the first British Columbia bred horse to be registered. He is out of Aida by Jaubert, and his pedigree runs back for generations in very blue blood.

Jos. Sayward's Christmas is also a candidate for honors. He is registered under rule six of the American trotting association. He is a brother of Santa Claus, which has a record of 2:17¼, out of Lady Thain, jr., 2:17¼. Christmas' sire, Stratmore, is one of the greatest living sires. Stathmore is now owned in Fort Wayne, Ind. Mr. Sayward also has on exhibition Margaret S., a three-year-old filly by Anteo, 2:16¼, out of Black Gipsy. Anteo recently sold for $65,000. Margaret already shows signs that she is going to take after her sire.

A number of up country horses have also been added to the lists and will make a lively bid for some of the first prizes.

More exhibits also found room in the main building yesterday, but how it was done is a mystery. Nevertheless, they have improved the appearance of many little nooks and corners, by filling them up. The Albion Iron Works Company have added a couple of small engines to their already large exhibit. They also have on view the model of a steel yacht that they are building in their works.

A couple of immense boards of native cedar evenly and neatly cut and planed is an exhibit from the Taylor Mill Company. They have been placed on each side of the main entrance.

The Cambrian Slate Quarry Company, of Jarvis Inlet, have a few samples of slate placed in a conspicuous position.

The Indian Industrial Schools of the province, conducted by Roman Catholic fathers, have exhibits of a very unique character. The Kamloops school has samples of shorthand in neatly bound books scattered throughout the building. The Kuper Island pupils have not gone in for anything so difficult. Their exhibit consists of writing and knitting. The former by the boys and the latter by the girls. The work done shows how well the native children have been taught.

In a corner of the first balcony are a lot of snow white clothes of various kinds. They are samples of the work done at the Victoria Steam Laundry.

The salmon canneries of the province are represented by several tiers of canned salmon. The exhibit is made by the Wellington Packing Company, the Royal Canadian Packing Company and Laidlaw & Co.

The Westminster boat yesterday brought down one of the best exhibits in the building. It consists of honey from the Chilliwhack apiaries. Two firms are represented, the Maple farm apiary and the Clovernock apiary. Both have a large and very fine lot of honey.

One of the Royal Incubators, patented by J. S. Smith, of Chilliwhack, is on view. It will be busily engaged hatching chickens during the exhibition.

Mr. F. Norris has also been busy since yesterday morning, and his exhibit is now a large one, consisting of saddles, harness and leather. The Ames Holden Company is alongside of him with a big display of boots, shoes and rubbers, manufactured by them.

In the art gallery Mrs. W. H. Ellis has a splendid collection of paintings and Miss E. McMicking has a case full of china on which is painted all kinds of pretty designs.

THE FORMAL OPENING.

Lieut.-Governor Nelson and Mrs. Nelson arrived at the grounds shortly after two o'clock this afternoon and were met at the gate by President Ellis, Miss R. Ellis, and several of the directors of the association. Master Leslie Ellis presented Mrs. Nelson with a beautiful boquet, after which the vice-regal party were shown around the Hall by the President and directors. The foreman of the B. C. Pottery Company made several pots in the presence of the party, turning them out quickly and neatly.

After the other exhibits had been viewed the Lieut. Governor formally opened the exhibition. He said he had had the pleasure for several years of opening the Victoria Exhibition, but never before had he seen such a splendid display. It afforded him a great deal of pleasure to see the vast improvement that had taken place even since the last exhibition. In former years the citizens had shown a great deal of apathy, which he was pleased to see had passed away. He could not help but refer especially to the B. C. Pottery and Terra Cotta Companys exhibit, which British Columbian's must truly be proud of. The exhibit of flour was also very gratifying, showing as it did the wonderful strides that had been made during the last few years by the mills of the province. Not long ago there were no mills here, now three companies, the Enderby, National and Victoria Mills had exhibits of their goods. This was the class of goods that were needed. He felt certain that with the construction of the Victoria & Sidney Railway much more would be done in this line. The road would open up a vast agricultural district which would directly benefit Victoria. It was no exaggeration to say that within ten years the whole of the Saanich peninsula would be under cultivation. The Canada Western Railway would also do much in this direction. In conclusion he congratulated the B.C. Agricultural society on the success of the exhibition.

The party spent the afternoon in the buildings and grounds.

GENERAL NOTES.

Hon. Theo. Davie, premier, Hon. Robert Beaven, and the members of the government were present at the opening.

The exhibitors are thoroughly satisfied with the arrangements of the hall, in fact so well are some of them pleased that they have petitioned the association to keep the show open until next Wednesday. Several of the directors have promised to support this request and in all probability it will be granted.

The Mayor has announced to-morrow as a civic holiday to give everybody a chance to attend the exhibition. The public offices, stores and schools will be closed. In addition to the farm

A lacrosse match between Victoria and Vancouver will be played. At 1 o'clock there will be a grand parade of stock in the Victoria driving park. To-morrow evening the First Regimental band of Seattle will render a fine programme.

THE GOOD TEMPLARS.

Meeting of the Grand Lodge at Vancouver—A Boy Shot.

VANCOUVER, Sept. 28.—A boy, named Baker, living on Mount Pleasant, was accidently shot through the leg yesterday. He will recover.

Judge Burbidge will not finish the Exchequer Court cases till this evening, when argument will be heard. Upper's case will be tried here and the judge will go to Victoria.

The Grand Lodge I.O.G.T. is in session here, with 56 visiting delegates present. The secretary's report shows a membership of 1702, an increase for the year of 231; 14 new lodges were organized and $1635 received during the year. The delegates were welcomed by A. R. Foxley, of Vancouver, and responded for by Rev. A. E. Green, of Nanaimo.

A. H. Watson, of McDowell & Co., was married in St. James' church today to Kathleen Constance, daughter of the late Dr. Black of New Westminster.

John Beck, father of A. E. Beck, county court registrar, died in Chicago yesterday, aged 79.

The following lacrosse team will play in Victoria to-morrow:—Myers, Boultbee, Cheyne, Swift, F. Rankin, Morency, Quann, Hawman, Smith, Quigley, Nicholles, McGregor.

NANAIMO NOTES.

Funeral of Willie Pool—Wrecked on Sankster Island, Etc.

NANAIMO, Sept. 28.—The home of the late Willie Pool was besieged by visitors all day yesterday, who were anxious to look once more upon his well known features before being place. Rare indeed is the young man who is thought so much of, as the great numbers attending the funeral this afternoon testified. The wreaths and flowers which adorned the casket were presented in profusion by loving friends. The procession was a large one. First came the Fire Department, drawing the fire truck, on which the coffin was placed, then the Knights of Pythias, I. O.O.F., I.O.F., Nanaimo Encampment No. 4, and the rear was brought up by the Caledonian Society. Rev. McRae conducted the burial rites. The greatest sympathy is expressed for the bereaved family, of which the deceased was the main stay.

Sloop No. 18 brought down two men yesterday from the sloop St. Patrick, who had been wrecked on Sankster's Island. The men were not experienced boatmen, and during a gale of wind the boat became unmanageable by the loss of the rudder; then the shrouds were carried away and the vessel drifted helpless on the rocks. Both men managed to scramble on shore, where they were compelled to stay a few days without food. They then made a raft to carry them to Sankster Island, when they were picked up by No. 18 and safely landed.

The firm of Inkster & Anderson have dissolved partnership, and in future the business will be carried on by A. Anderson, who will assume all liabilities.

The little son of Joseph Tyler was badly kicked by a mule yesterday.

Dr. Praeger left the city for the Capital this morning for the purpose of conferring with the Premier respecting the health regulations, and to make preperations for the prevention of cholera visiting this city. He will be joined by Mayor Haslam, who went down in his steamer yesterday.

Dark Days in Paris.

LONDON, Sept. 28.—The Daily News correspondent says that official enquiries as to the cause of trade stagnation in Paris show that the new tariff is drying up the sources of Parisian industries. The workshops are only half busy; workingmen are being discharged on every side; the poorer Parisians are more shabbily dressed than they were a year ago, and are deteriorating from month to month.

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CANADIAN NOTES.

News by Mail and Wire From All Parts of the Dominion.

James Sanderson, a Grand Trunk brakeman, fell under the train at Millbank and was killed.

Mrs. James Connolly of Quebec, mother of N. K. and M. Connolly, contractors, is dead, aged 80.

Norman J. Taylor, of Keewatin, was drowned from the ferry steamer Keniva, while entering Keewatin channel.

Col. Irvine will get the wardenship of the Stony Mountain penitentiary, and not the commissionership of police.

Walter G. Ray, formerly a shipbuilder at Quebec, but for twenty years the representative at Halifax of the French Lloyds, is dead, aged 71.

Mr. Tarte's paper, Le Canadien, prophesies that Messrs. Meredith and Angers will, before long, become members of the Dominion Cabinet.

Mr. Watters, assistant commissioner of customs, denies that he stated in an interview that the Canadian frontier in British Columbia was not sufficiently protected by our officers.

Mrs. E. F. Bronson, of Ottawa, has given $1000, and her son, E. H. Bronson, of the Ontario cabinet, a like amount to the building fund of the new Manitoba college in Winnipeg.

The Government has been advised that F. Mendenhall, chief of the Coast and Geological survey of the United States, has been appointed United States commissioner in the Alaska boundary matter by the American authorities.

By an explosion of natural gas, which took place at the house of Senator Laughlin McCallum, in Stromness, yesterday, near Dunnville, the Senator was hurled through his front door into the street. He was badly injured and for a time was in a precarious condition, but he is now declared to be out of danger.

A Calgary dispatch says: It is expected that the grading of the new road into Crow's Nest Pass will be commenced within two or three weeks. A gang of graders is scattered all along the road for over 80 miles and into the mouth of the pass. Grading will not pass that point and no iron will be laid this year.

In the case of Dr. Paulidus, Chief Justice Lacoste, of Quebec, has held that the College of Physicians could not be forced to grant permission to practice his profession in Quebec to Dr. Paulidus, who had his diploma from Paris, as the statute conferring the power on the college to grant permission to foreigners was permssive not mandatory.

At a luncheon tendered him to-day by the president of the Toronto Board of Trade Sir Whittaker Ellis, touching on political matters, declared himself a staunch believer in free trade for all the earth, but he believed there were times in the history of nations when some deviation from a fixed policy was necessary when exigencies required it. He spoke of the duty of England to stand by her colonies and protect the interests of her greater empire outside of herself. The time had come, he thought, when England should seriously consider the question of deviating somewhat from her policy of free trade to meet the demands of the colonies.

Suspected of Murder.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Sept. 28.—A wealthy jeweler of New York, Henry Eppstein, has arrived in this city for the purpose of investigating the antecedents of Israel Engle, who is a prisoner at Aspen, Colo., on suspicion of being the murderer of Abraham Bernstein, which occurred about three months ago. Eppstein is a near relative of the murdered man and is determined to bring the crime home to Engle. He says that he has so far succeeded in fastening several crimes upon the accused, and he is now in this city for the purpose of looking up a mysterious murder which occurred here several years ago, and concerning which he says he has discovered facts which point to Engle. Engle is known to a good many of the leading citizens of the country and is generally regarded by the police and those who know him as a hard case. Bernstein was a man of considerable means, which he had accumulated by travelling through country towns in Colorado selling dry goods and other articles from a wagon. Shortly before the murder he employed Engle to assist him, but a few days later the charred remains of the wagon were found by some miners and an examination of these brought to light several bones, buttons and sundry articles which demonstrated conclusively that the unfortunate peddler had been burned to death. Suspicion fell upon Engle and he was captured near Aspen a few days later. The murdered man has several wealthy relatives in New York and elsewhere, who are prepared to spend money liberally in order that justice may be done.

A Republican Love Feast.

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Now that Senator Hill has demonstrated his willingness to lie down in the Cleveland fold, his Republican ex-colleague, Senator Thomas A. Platt, is also ready to demonstrate that, notwithstanding the bitterness with which he fought the President's renomination at Minneapolis, he is prepared to place party above men and to battle for Republican success with just as much earnestness as he fought for Blaine in the Flour City. To that end the ex-Senator will preside over the first general Republican ratification meeting to be held in Cooper Union to-night, and which will practically mark the opening of the campaign in this State. It will be a Republican love feast of the most pronounced character, and will have the effect of serving notice on Republicans from one end of the State to the other that all factions are united and that no effort will be spared to carry the State for the Republican candidate. The principal speeches of the evening will be made by Whitelaw Reid, Chauncey M. Depew and Warner Miller. President Harrison had partially promised to be present, but the serious illness of Mrs. Harrison made his attendance an impossibility.

PRESBYTERIAN WORK.

The Church in the Colonies—World's Fair on Sundays.

TORONTO, Sept. 27.—Last night's session of the Pan-Presbyterian Council was devoted to a consideration of the work of the Presbyterian Church in the British Colonies. The first speaker was Rev. Dr. Robertson, of Winnipeg, who gave a glowing account of the Dominion and the influence for good within the borders of the Presbyterian Church. He mentioned the arrival of 100 crofters, nearly all Presbyterians, and urged that the church generally should assist the Canadian church in providing means for looking after the spiritual welfare of such. Mr. Rentoul, of Australia, in a scholarly and eloquent address, gave an account of the work of the church in the island continent.

At this morning's session of the council the question of closing the Chicago World's Fair on Sunday was reported upon by the business committee, which expressed its cordial satisfaction at the action of the United States congress, and expressed the opinion that this would tend to the better observance of the Lord's day. After a motion that the report be adopted Dr. Pitzer, of Washington, asked if there would be any objection to putting Sunday in place of the Lord's day in the resolution, because it will go to a government that does not know anything about the Lord's day, but knows something about Sunday. Rev. Dr. Ker, of Glasgow, moved as an amendment to the original resolution, which had been referred to the business committee, that "this council declares its admiration for the recent action of the United States Senate, in closing the gates of the Columbian Exposition on the Lord's Day, expresses the confident hope that there will be no reversal of this action, and as a council holding a consensus of the Reformed Church especially illustrates the great scriptural doctrine of the binding Lord's Day obligation on all people, and prepares the way for other action and reforms which would recognize the supremacy of the Lord Jesus Christ over all nations, and promote the civil and religious prosperity of all communities." There was some objection to this amenpment, and the discussion closed by a suggestion from Dr. Hall, of New York, that it be referred back to the commission. John Charlton, M. P., wanted the fair closed on Sunday, but he objected to congress being struck out for administration. Great Britain deserved some recognition for what she had done in the past, and several states of the Union had also placed themselves on record. After this a vote was taken and the milder resolution of the committee adopted.

Roasted His Feet.

SAN JOSE, Cala., Sept. 27.—Johnnie Naverette, six years old, was playing among the rubbish at the city dump yesterday, when he found a beer bottle and called his companion, a lad 14 years old. He coveted Johnnie's prize. Johnnie vowed he would not give it. At this the other seized the little boy by the shoulders and held him over a portion of refuse which was burning, with his bare feet dangling in the blaze. The little fellow writhed and screamed under the dreadful torture, but his tormentor laughed, and it was only when he was tired out that he let the boy down. Almost crazed with pain the boy made his way to his father's house. He was immediately taken to a physician's office, where his injured feet were dressed. They presented a sickening appearance.

Murder by the Wholesale.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 27.—The Examiner this morning says that Dr. H. C. Beale, charged with the murder of Mary Carroll, and who has disappeared, committed a long series of murders in this city, according to the story of a Mrs. Montrose, whose house he used as a private hospital. In a period of about 10 months he had about 50 patients, and no fewer than 40 children were born alive in the house, but not one of them was permitted to live. Beale, according to the woman's story, either chloroformed or choked them, or weighted their bodies and threw them in the bay. From superintendent of police Cyrus Small, of Boston, comes the intelligence that Beale is wanted for crimes of a similar kind which have made him a fugitive from justice here.

Bound to Kill Somebody.

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—John Woods, aged 67, shot his son-in-law, Geo. W. Heritage, yesterday afternoon on Congress street, Jersey Heights, and then, thinking Heritage dead, placed the pistol to his head and blew out his own brains. Heritage is not dangerously wounded.

Kittie Fox of Fairhaven, Vt.

"When my daughter Kitty was about three years old, Eczema or Salt Rheum appeared on her face. It itched so badly she would

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Harvesting is Over—Unpleasant Adventure in a Swamp.

PLUMPER'S PASS, Sept. 28.—The harvest is all done and everybody is happy after reaping heavy crops.

The weather, to say the least, is very damp, but not enough to quench the ardor of the sportsman. Messrs. Jensen, Berryman and Moore made good bags, Mr. Jensen taking credit for a large buck to his share. Mr. Jensen and Mr. Moore had a rough time of it on Saturday night, having got tangled up in a swamp and making slow progress. Night overtook them, and they were obliged to spend the whole night in the woods of Mayne Island, the rain falling in torrents all night. They turned up all right on Sunday morning in time for church.

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Victoria, B.C., 1st Sept., 1892.

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TIME TABLE NO. 16.

To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Friday, April 29th, 1892.

Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

SOUTH BOUND. READ UP.	No. 1 Passenger Daily.	No. 3 Passenger Friday, Sat. and Sun.	STATIONS.	Miles from Wellington.
	Ar. 12.30 P M	8.00 P M	VICTORIA	78
	12.30	7.50	RUSSELLS	77
	12.10	7.35	ESQUIMALT	74
	11.45 A M	7.20	GOLDSTREAM	68
	11.10	6.50	SHAWNIGAN LAKE	65
	10.50	6.30	COBBLE HILL	62
	10.27	6.15	McPHERSON'S	57
	10.17	6.05	KOKSILAH	53
	10.12	6.00	DUNCAN'S	49
	10.02	5.52	SOMENOS	43
	9.36	5.33	QUAMICHAN'S	40
	9.15	5.15	OYSTER BAY	36
	De. 8.35	De. 5.00	} SHIP'D NANAIMO	3
	Ar. 8.35	Ar. 5.00	} N. WELLINGT'N	0
	De. 8.10	De. 4.3		

NORTH BOUND. READ DOWN.	No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Friday, Sat. and Sun.	Miles from Victoria.
	De. 8.00 A M	De. 3.04 P M	0
	8.04	3.08	1
	8.14	3.16	11
	8.40	3.40	28
	9.57	4.57	58
	9.54	4.54	61
	10.07	4.57	63
	10.13	5.03	69
	10.23	5.13	73
	10.30	5.20	76
	Ar. 11.50	Ar. 6.40	78
	De. 11.50		
	Ar. 12.15 P M		

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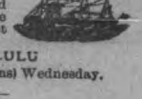

CARRYING UNITED States, Hawaiian and Colonial mails, will leave the Company's wharf, foot Folsom street,

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4 30 pm	Ar	110	...Victoria†...	M 1	Lv	8 30 pm

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	Lv	45	...Kingston...	41	Lv
3 00 am	Lv	49	.Port Gamble.	21	Lv 11 00 am
4 00 am	Lv	73	.Port Ludlow.	13	Lv 10 00 am
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TIME TABLE No. 17,

Taking effect April 1, 1892.

Vancouver Route.

Victoria to Vancouver daily, except Monday, at 2 o'clock, a.m.

Vancouver to Victoria daily, except Monday, at 13 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route.

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island, Sunday at 13 o'clock; Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C.P.R. train No. 2 going East Monday.)

For Plumper Pass Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock

For Moresby Island Friday at 7 o'clock

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Northern Route.

Steamships of this Co. will leave for Ft. Simpson and intermediate ports on the 1st and 15th of each month. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route.

Steamer Maude leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound ports on the 1st and 15th of each month.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

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BILLIARDS.

CHAMPION IVES' ACTION.

NEW YORK, Sept. 28. — Billiard champion Frank Ives is on the Atlantic en route for this country, and upon his arrival in a few days the question of the championship will have to be settled. In the opinion of most billiard experts Ives has forfeited the championship owing to his refusal to meet Jake Schaeffer on neutral grounds. The ex-champion challenged Ives at the close of the last tournament and the young Napoleon named Paris as the place of the match. Accordingly Schaeffer crossed the water, but the two men could not agree on the place where the match should come off, Ives being desirous of playing in a hall with the management of which he had a business contract. Moses Bensinger, of Chicago, of the Brunswicke Balke Company, was called as an arbitrator, and decided that the match should be played at the Grand, offering to put up the table and pay for the use of the hall. Schaeffer accepted, but Ives refused point blank, and thus the matter stands. Under the rules governing the championship emblem, it reverts to the company, owing to the fact that it has not been played for within 60 days from the date of Schaeffer's challenge.

THE RING.

CORBETT AS A LAWYER.

SYRACUSE, N.Y., Sept. 28.—The attempt on the part of H. R. Jacobs to prevent James J. Corbett giving an exhibition in this city failed in its object. A temporary injunction had been obtained on the ground that Corbett had made a contract with Jacobs to make his first Syracuse appearance at the latter's theatre. Manager W. A. Brady was equal to the occasion and employed counsel at once. A motion to dissolve the temporary injunction was argued before Judge A. J. Northup this morning. Corbett pleaded his own case several times during the two hours' argument. An agreement was finally reached whereby Corbett was allowed to go on with his show, he giving Jacobs a guarantee in case the action goes against him.

FOOTBALL.

BEACON HILL, SATURDAY.

The Victoria Rugby Football Club will play a practice game at Beacon Hill Saturday afternoon. The members are becoming very enthusiastic and a season of splendid sport is assured.

THE OAR.

HE BOBS UP SERENELY.

Alexander McLean, the oarsman, of Westminster, is in the city. McLean is ready for any kind of aquatic race against any man in the Queen City.

THOSE CHADWICK MILLIONS

An English Paper Says They Have no Existence.

Some American claimants, says the Manchester Guardian, are on the hunt for the estates of Sir Andrew Chadwick, who dieu in 1768. The estate, they believe, is worth $187,000,000, which is supposed to be in the coffers of the Bank of England and to be under the order of the court of chancery. This money and Sir Andrew's massive silver plate are "shortly" to rejoice the heart and decorate the home of Mr. Cornelius Chadwick, of Germantown, Pa. Such is the story that comes from over the Atlantic.

Of course the republican claimant has had all sorts of difficulties put in his way by the aristocratic influences that are supposed to reign in this country. "The Duke of Bridgewater," we are gravely told, "alone drew and still draws £20,000 a year as manager of the estate." This is all the more remarkable as there has been no Duke of Bridgewater for the last 80 years.

The whole affair is of course a mere delusion, fostered by knavish "agents" who prey on the credulity of those in England and America who fancy themselves the "rightful heirs" of immense estates and untold wealth. Now it happens that the whole history of the "great Chadwick estate" is one about which there can be no doubt. The Chadwicks were settled near Haslingden, where they were yeomen copyholders under the Duke of Albemarle. Ellis Chadwick in 1664 is styled "gentleman," and was then resident in Dublin, where his son, Andrew Chadwick, is believed to have been born. When he was quite a child his father, though a young man, died. How Andrew acquired his fortune is not known. He was one of the Band of Gentlemen Pensioners, and was paymaster of a troop of horse guards and also of a lottery office in the exchequer. In 1719 he was knighted by Queen Anne, and, when he died in 1768, he was possessed of some land and houses in Golden square, as well as personal property. He made several wills and codicils which show a good deal of variation in his intentions. The personal estate of about $20,000 was partly wasted in litigation between his widow and a pamphleteer named Alexander Scott, who was the residuary legatee.

The testamentary disposition of Sir Andrew were not formal enough to secure the real estate to Scott, and the freeholds were claimed by Sarah Law, who obtained them as well as the Haslingden copyholds. The decision of the court was undoubtedly wrong, for there was then living one nearer in blood to Sir Andrew. When his other property, which had been let on long leases, came before the courts, 50 years later, it was adjudged to Mr. John Chadwick, of Westleigh. An unsuccessful attempt was made to eject him in 1859. The net result is that there is absolutely no Chadwick estate remaining for distribution.

The personal estate was disposed of within a few years of the knight's death, and as to the real property, even if those to whom it passed were not really entitled to it, the statute of limitation would effectually bar any attempt to dispossess them now. The money supposed to be lying in the Bank of England is a trust sum of £100, only obtainable by the representatives of the Scott already named and of the Rev. Samuel Grove. In 1772 a forged will was produced, but the crime was detected and the two men engaged in the plot were both hanged. The will was dated 1764, and it was shown that the paper on which it had been written had not been made until 1768. There are many curious points connected with the legal history of the estates of Sir Andrew Chadwick; but the main point for the consideration of the English and American claimants is that there now remains neither land nor money for adjudication or distribution.

Baby Russell's Death.

LONDON, Sept. 27.—Considerable sensation has been caused by the mysterious death of an ex-actress known as Baby Russell, a beautiful girl, who has appeared at the Lyric and Drury Lane theatres. For some time past she has been living with an army surgeon, Dr. Heron. On Tuesday she was suddenly taken sick when with Dr. Heron, and, although a physician was summoned, she died. Dr. Heron said they had had a tiff and that she might have taken poison. Yesterday Dr. Heron was found in his room dead, with his throat cut. It was also ascertained that he had taken sufficient poison to have killed himself.

Unfortunate Explorers.

LONDON, Sept. 27.—The British consul at Mozambique has reported to the Foreign office the drowning of two Englishmen and five Germans at the mouth of the river Moma on July 9. The party consisted of Vivian, an Englishman who was in command of two other Englishmen, Gardiner and Henry; and five Germans, Hassenbach, Hartz, Kennock, Homann, and Fritz. Their object had been to hunt and explore in the country along the river.

Another Rashly Importunate.

WASHINGTON, D.C., Sept. 27.—Col. W. P. Canaday, ex-sergeant-at-arms at the Senate, committed suicide at his rooms in this city to-day by shooting himself through the head. Financial trouble the cause.

Poland's Premier Pianist Ill.

PARIS, Sept. 27.—Paderewski, the pianist, is seriously ill of rheumatic fever, and his engagements have been cancelled.

Effect on Minerals on Iron.

Manganese and silicon have been found to have different effects on the way in which carbon binds itself with iron in a chilled casting. Silicon prevents, up to a certain point, the blending of the carbon during the cooling of the iron, and causes it to separate itself in scales of graphite. Manganese, on the other hand, neutralizes part of the effect of the silicon and furthers the formation of white iron.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Inoculating Cattle in Africa.

During our midday halt we had all our oxen inoculated with the virus of the lung sickness, for this fatal malady was then raging in Khama's country. Our wagons were placed side by side, and with an ingenious contrivance of thongs our conductor and driver managed to fasten the plunging animals by the horns, while a string steeped in the virus was passed with a needle through their tails. Sometimes after this process the tails swell and fall off, and up country a tailless ox has a value peculiarly his own. It is always rather a sickly time for the poor beasts, but as we lost only two out of thirty-six from this disease we voted the remedy successful.—Fortnightly Review.

It Came to Her Ears.

"I shall never ask a girl to marry me till I have seen the old man's checkbook."

So boasted I in company with some friends at a social gathering.

Three years after this I was reminded of it in a most awkward manner. I had fallen in love with and proposed to a young lady in C——. When my proposal was over she rejected me, saying:

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For Sixteen-year-old Girls.

The girls of sixteen who consider themselves young ladies should not snub the ugly looking boys of the same age. When the girls are twenty-two and a trifle shelf worn the boys will be young men and may remember the snubs. It pays to be polite all the time.—Atchison Globe.

Pipe Smokers.

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Mutiny in the Life Guards.

LONDON, Sept. 26.—The authorities at Windsor declare the reports of a mutiny among the Life Guards greatly exaggerated. The parade was held to-day as usual. The only scene was when Capt. Rawson, commander of a squadron, who is very unpopular, entered the barracks square in a cab. Then the whole regiment lined the balconies looking on the square and received him with loud hooting and hissing. Profuse abuse was heaped on him.

LONDON, Sept. 26.—The Daily News to-day says:—Members of the First Life Guards regiment, stationed at Windsor, have been disaffected for some time past, owing to the many drills and inspections they have been compelled to undergo. Yesterday the non-commissioned officers of C squadron found all of the eighty saddles belonging to the squadron so badly cut that they were completely ruined. The men were ordered into their barracks and there confined. They sang "Britons Never Shall be Slaves," popular music-hall songs and the national anthem. The affair has created much excitement in Windsor and crowds of villagers surrounded the barracks listening to the noise. Between nine and ten o'clock at night the whole squadron went into the barracks yard singing and yelling at the top of their voices. The uproar was continued until "lights out" was sounded, when order was restored. It has since been learned that a great number of the men have been placed under arrest. The squadron is confined in the barracks to-day. It is reported that Captain Rawson, who commands the squadron, is very unpopular with his men. He it is who is said to have been responsible for the extra drills to which the men objected and to prevent which they cut their saddles.

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THE LAND QUESTION.

The Colonist has its own peculiar methods of reasoning, as also its own peculiar way of misinterpreting what other people say. It persists in representing the TIMES' remarks on the land question as an attack on the Government of the Province, and under this cover it runs away from the real question. We make no attack on the present or any particular government of the Province in regard to the sale of the public lands; what we are concerned with just now is the removal of a plain evil resulting from the land policy of all the past Governments. The removal, or diminution, of this evil would also lessen the evil of which the Colonist complained, namely, the comparative scarcity of agricultural land in the province. On this latter phase of the question the Colonist has not cared to touch. On the one hand it could not very well controvert the TIMES' position, and on the other, perhaps, it did not like to admit that there was any virtue in Henry Georgeism. Neither has the Colonist made any reference to the fact that both the Local Government and City Council to a certain extent accepted Henry George's teachings when they adopted the plan of taxing land more heavily than improvements. Whether Henry George is right or wrong in his whole scheme, the people of this province seem to think that at least there is a modicum of good in his ideas of taxation. We may further be allowed to point out that the teachings of Henry George have indirectly affected the land policy of this province, so that it is no longer regarded as wise to let large areas of public land slip into the hands of speculators who would do nothing with it but let it lie and gather in the "unearned increment." The Government and the Legislature have adopted the principle of reserving the land for actual users thereof, which is distinctly Henry Georgian. Perhaps the Colonist regards this as wrong, and believes that we should go back to the discarded system.

MR. CLEVELAND'S LETTER.

Mr. Cleveland has sent his letter of acceptance to the Democratic committee, and thus, in one sense, it may be said that the final stage of the combat has been reached. The ex-President at the opening of his letter says: "I hope I may be permitted to say at the outset that continued reflection and observation has confirmed me in my adherence to the opinions which I have heretofore plainly and publicly declared touching the questions involved in the canvass." The letter may very fairly be summed up as a reproduction of the views which Mr. Cleveland has at various times expressed, and as a faithful reflection of the platform adopted by the Chicago convention. As the tariff and money questions are the most important at issue between the parties, it may be worth while to give Mr. Cleveland's remarks on these these two points *in extenso*. He says:

The protection of the people in the exclusive use and enjoyment of their property and earnings, concededly constitutes the especial purpose and mission of our free government. This design is so interwoven with the structure of our plan of rule that failure to protest the citizen in such use and enjoyment, or their unjustifiable diminution by the government itself, is a betrayal of the people's trust.

We have, however, undertaken to build a great nation upon a plan especially our own. To maintain it, and to furnish through its agency the means for the accomplishment of national objects, the American people are willing, through federal taxation, to surrender a part of their earnings and income. Tariff legislation presents a familiar form of federal taxation. Such legislation results as surely in a tax upon the daily life of our people as the tribute paid directly into the hands of the tax-gatherers.

We feel the burden of these tariff taxes too palpably to be persuaded by any sophistry that they do not exist or are paid by foreigners. Such taxes are only justifiable for the purpose of maintaining the government and furnishing means for the accomplishment of its legitimate purposes. This is taxation under the operation of a tariff for revenue. It manifestly enjoins strict economy in public expenditures and their limitation to legitimate public uses, inasmuch as it resists as absolute extortion any exaction by way of taxation from the substance of the people beyond the necessities of a careful and proper administration of the government.

Opposed to this theory the dogma is now boldly presented that tariff taxation is justifiable for the express purpose and intent of promoting special interests and enterprises. Such a proposition is so clearly contrary to the spirit of our constitution and so directly encourages disturbance of patriotic sentiment by selfishness and greed that its statement would rudely shock our people if they had not already been insidiously lured from the safe landmarks of principle. Never have an honest desire for national growth, patriotic devotion to country and sincere regard for those who toil been so betrayed to support a pernicious doctrine. The plea that our infant industries should be fostered did service until discredited by our stalwart growth; then followed the exigencies of a terrible war, and now, after a long period of peace, when our over burdened countrymen ask for relief and restoration to fuller enjoyment of their incomes and earnings, they are met by the claim that tariff taxation for the sake of protection is the American system, continuance of which is necessary in order that high wages be paid our workingmen and a home market provided for farm products. These pretenses should no longer deceive. In truth, such a system is directly antagonized by every sentiment of justness and fairness of which Americans are pre-eminently proud.

It is true that while our workingmen and farmers can the least of all people defend themselves against the harder home life which such tariff taxation decrees, the workingman, suffering from the importation and employment of pauper labor, instigated by his professed friends and seeking security for his interests in organized co-operation, still waits for a division of the advantages secured to his employer under cover of a generous solicitude for his wages; while the farmer is learning that the price of his products are fixed in foreign markets where he suffers from a competition invited and built up by the system he is asked to support.

The struggle for unearned advantage at the doors of the Government tramples on the rights of those who patiently rely upon assurances of American equality. Every Government concession to clamorous favorites invites corruption in political affairs by encouraging the expenditure of money to debauch suffrage in support of a policy directly favorable to private and selfish gain. This in the end must weaken popular confidence in the rectitude of republican institutions.

Though the subject of tariff legislation involves a question of markets, it also involves a question of morals. We cannot with impunity permit injustice to taint the spirit of right and equity which is the life of our republic, and we shall fail to reach our national destiny if greed and selfishness hold the way.

Recognizing these truths, the national democracy will seek, by the application of just and sound principles, to equalize to our people the blessings due them from the government they support, to protect among our countrymen a closer community of interests cemented by patrotism and national pride, and to point out a fair field where prosperous and diversified American enterprise may grow and thrive in the wholesome air of American industry, ingenuity and diligence.

Tariff reform is still our purpose, though we oppose the theory that tariff laws may be passed, having for their object the granting of discriminating and unfair governmental aid to private ventures. We wage no exterminating war against any American interests; we believe a readjustment can be accomplished in accordance with the principles we profess without disaster or demolition. We believe that the advantage of free raw material should be accorded to our miners, and we contemplate a fair and careful distribution of necessary tariff burdens rather than the precipitation of free trade.

We anticipate with calmness the misrepresentation of our motives and purposes, instigated by a selfishness which seeks to hold in unrelenting grasp its unfair advantage under the present tariff laws. We will rely upon the intelligence of our fellow-countrymen to reject the charge that a party comprising a majority of our people is planning the destruction or injury of American interests, and we know they cannot be frightened by the spectre of impossible free trade.

The people are entitled to sound and honest money, abundantly sufficient in volume to supply their business needs. But whatever may be the form of the people's currency, national or state, whether gold, silver or paper, it should be so regulated and guarded by Governmental action, or by wise and careful laws, that no one can be deluded as to the certainty and stability of its value. Every dollar put into the hands of the people should be of the same intrinsic value or purchasing power. With this condition absolutely guaranteed, both gold and silver can be safely utilized on equal terms in the adjustment of our currency. In dealing with this subject no selfish scheme should be allowed to intervene, and no doubtful experiment should be attempted. The wants of our people, arising from the deficiency of imperfect distribution of money circulation, ought to be fully and honestly recognized and efficiently remedied. It should, however, be constantly remembered that the inconvenience or loss that might arise from a situation can be much easier borne than the universal distress which must follow a discredited currency.

"Tariff for revenue purposes only, and honest money," seems a fairly accurate summary of Mr. Cleveland's views. Canadians can fully appreciate the sentences:—"Every governmental concession to clamorous favorites invites corruption in political affairs by encouraging the expenditure of money to debauch the suffrage in support of a policy directly favorable to private and selfish gain. This in the end, must straggle patriotism and weaken popular confidence in the rectitude of republican institutions." They have seen this demoralizing process carried on in their own country, and the "debauching of the suffrage" committed during the last election by the Macdonald Government, with the aid of funds from the Red Parlor, is still very fresh in their memories.

Of the remainder of Mr. Cleveland's letter it is not necessary to speak at length. He declaims against the "force bill," argues for civil service reform and against an undue extension of the pension list, and condemns "sumptuary laws" and paternal legislation generally. The latter clause of his address is of course aimed at prohibition. Mr. Cleveland also favors federal support of the Chicago exhibition, and declares quite emphatically for governmental appropriation and endorsement for the Nicaragua canal.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The following extract from the San Francisco Examiner is reproduced as an unusually good sample of the stupidity and malignity which afflict several of the American papers when they talk on the seal question:—

Canadian sealers who poach in Russian waters are getting this year less skins than lessons in manners. When a pirate crew has undergone the hospitality of the Czar for a few months it emerges from the ordeal with little fat upon its collective ribs, but a respect for property rights such as it would never have entertained had the principal weapon turned against it been a dignified modus vivedi.

Senator Snowball, of New Brunswick, is a good Conservative and a supporter of the present Dominion Government. He was in Ottawa lately, and in response to a reporter's questions said things were "going from bad to worse" in New Brunswick. The people, he says, are leaving the province in hundreds. In Senator Snowball's view, the only remedy is a fair reciprocity treaty with the States, and he does not appear to have offered any suggestion to tide over difficulties until such a treaty is secured, which will not be soon. This testimony to the beneficence of the "old policy," coming from such a source, is extremely interesting.

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[Paris Letter to Philadelphia Telegraph.]

President Carnot and his family are safely established at Fontainebleau and are probably enjoying to the full the spacious apartments of the palace, as well as their daily drives in the forest. The present ruler of France is altogether considerate of the wants and wishes of the holiday-makers and the foreign tourists who come to visit Fontainebleau. The suites of private apartments are altogether separate from the historical rooms of the palace. I mean to make a pilgrimage thither shortly in order to see two wonderful carpets which have recently been transferred to the palace by the President's orders, and which are said to be the most superb articles of the kind in the world. They were ordered by Napoleon III at the Gobelin manufactory in 1868. They are of colossal dimensions, one being nearly 30 feet square, while the other is 11 yards long and 10 yards wide.

It took ten years to complete them, and once finished their extraordinary size caused them to be packed away in the storehouse of Les Gobelins, whence they were not extracted even to be exhibited at the expositions of 1878 and 1889. They are the finest articles of the kind that have been produced for the French government since Louis XIV ordered "ninety-three carpets for ceremonies and festivals" to be manufactured at La Savonnerie for the great ballrooms and reception rooms of the Louvre and of Versailles. The smaller of the two, which has a yellow ground, is set down in the inventory as being worth $40,000; the larger, the ground of which is black, being estimated at $50,000, though the real value of each is stated to be at least double.

The President has given orders to have them transferred to Fontainebleau, where one of them will be put down in the "Salle du Pape," and where pathways of linen will be arranged over it to prevent any damage from the feet of visitors. It was Mr. Carnot himself who suggested this destination for these splendid but impracticable articles. They are so huge that though they have been offered repeatedly to the Society of Decorative Art to be shown at their annual exhibition, it has always been found impossible to utilize them. What was their original destination? That no one seems to know. Probably they were intended as gifts from the Emperor to some one of his fellow sovereigns.

The Wet Season.
The London House, 47 Johnson street, has just received a big consignment of gent's umbrellas, mackintoshes and hats at prices far below bed rock. See their windows.

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NORTHERN NOTES.

Mr. O'Brien Brings Some Interesting News of the Sealing Question at Sitka.

Fresh Intelligence Regarding the Seized Vancouver Steamship Coquitlam.

"The seized steamer Coquitlam was released a week ago last Saturday by the United States District Court at Sitka, she started for home the Monday following, and you can expect to see her return any day now."

The speaker was James L. O'Brien, of San Francisco, manager of the large cod fishing station at Sand Point run by the Lynde Hergh Co., of San Francisco, who arrived from Sitka on the steamship Mexico last night. He gave the facts above to a TIMES man this morning.

"Yes, sir," said he, continuing, "Judge Warren Truitt called a special session of the court at Sitka at 8 o'clock in the evening of Saturday, Sept. 17, and heard the motion of Attorney H. H. A. Hastings, of the Seattle legal firm of Hughes, Hastings and Steadman, who represent your side of the question, for the release of the vessel. The new bonds were presented, approved and accepted, and the order made for the release of the vessel and cargo. Captain McLellan was there and was preparing to leave for Victoria or Vancouver on Monday. We left there on Sunday, hence I do not know to a certainty that she got away. However, she did not delay much longer.

Mr. O'Brien stopped off at Victoria on a special mission. A custom house has been established at Sand Point, and the sealing vessels or any supply boats can clear direct for there now, or enter there. He says there has been considerable trouble caused for vessels and will consult with the sealing men to lay the matter before them and explain to them just what they can do in the matter. Mr. O'Brien says the fisheries have done well. His report about the sea otter fleet is not so favorable. Only two schooners, the Helen Bloom with 98, and the Herman with 75, have done well. Both are San Francisco schooners. All the rest have very small catches.

Mr. O'Brien reports a valuable find of coal. It was made at Chienic Bay, which is half way between Sand Point and Kodiak, and was found by Capt. Lee of Sitka and a man named McKenzie from Cock's Inlet. They were on a prospecting tour on the schooner Clara. They have sunk a shaft and are getting out coal. The product of the mine is said to be first class coal. Mr. O'Brien came from Sand Point to Sitka, 1100 miles, on the U. S. revenue cutter Thomas Corwin.

The Mexico brought down a distinguished lot of passengers. Among the number is Prof. Reid, of the Cleveland University, who has spent the summer in an examination of Muir Glacier for scientific purposes. He carefully observed the changes of the past 10 years. He took many excellent photographs, and copious notes for use on the lecture platform at the university.

Another prominent passenger is Lieut. G. T. Edmons, U.S.A., who collected Alaska's exhibit for the World's Fair. It is among the freight on the steamer and those who have seen it are high in their praises of it. The Indian collection is very complete, as is the mineral exhibit.

Another passessger is Lieut. Morse, U.S.A., who is detailed to the U. S. coast and geodetic survey. He has been pursuing his labors in Alaska for the past season. He completed much important work.

Mr. O'Brien says that the schooner Henrietta was not re-seized by the U. S. cutter Corwin for transferring skins to the schooner Libbie in alleged violation of the revenue laws, but for transferring skins to the Coquitlam. The only evidence against her is disclosed by the log of the Coquitlam.

SHORT LOCALS.

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in a Condensed Form.

St. Luke's, Mount Tolmie, harvest festival October 18.

St. Barnabas Church thanksgiving service will be held to-night.

Mrs. Butler, insane, was taken to the Provincial asylum, Westminster, to-day.

The crew of the sealing schooner Dora Sieward were paid off this morning by Capt. Sieward.

A well attended rosette social last night concluded the anniversary services at St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Victoria West.

H.M.S. Nymphe left Esquimalt this morning early for the straits to go through annual prize firing. She will be absent four or five days.

Victoria Division, No. 2, U.R.K. of P., holds its monthly business meeting at the Pythian Castle, Duck's Block, at 8 o'clock this evening in fatigue dress.

This evening in Philharmonic Hall the Knights of Temperance will give a grand entertainment. Some of the best local talent will participate and the knights will give a full dress parade.

The regular meeting of Columbia Lodge, No. 2, I. O. O. F., will be held this evening at 8 o'clock. Work in the initiatory degree and team drill. A portion of the new paraphernalia will be used for the first time this evening.

PERSONAL.

Visitors and Passengers to and from the City and Province.

J. M. Duval, of Vancouver, is in the city.

A. McFie is here on a visit from Vancouver.

H. M. McCutcheon, of the Kamloops Sentinel, arrived in town last night.

Elliot Beli, of the New Westminster Commonwealth, is over "taking in" the show for his paper.

H. Havard-Walker, Vancouver; W. R. Megaw and wife, Kamloops; C. W. Gorham, Chicago; A. T. Gorham, San Francisco, are at the Victoria.

Chas. C. Terrill and wife, San Francisco; J. J. Bell, Lillooet; Mrs. Watson, Duncan's; John W. Rudd, Nanaimo; G. I. Payne, Plumper's Pass; Arthur L. Smith, Tacoma, are staying at the Oriental.

A. O. U. W.

Victoria Lodge, No. 1, holds its regular meeting this evening, when business of the greatest importance will be transacted, and the officers hope all the members will make a point of being in attendance.

A Holiday for the Scholars.

The trustees of the schools have received permission from the department of education to grant the scholars a holiday to-morrow and Friday, that they may attend the exhibition. The schools will, accordingly, be closed for the two days mentioned.

Eastern Visitors.

H. C. Davis, assistant to the president of the Northern Pacific Railway, Mr. T. F. Oakes, was in the city yesterday while the steamer City of Kingston was here. He had a party of eastern gentlemen with him to whom he is showing the country. They left here planning to go to Tacoma.

Wedding Bells.

This evening at Christ Church Cathedral, Miss Victoria Shaw, daughter of Mr. Thomas Shaw, will be united in marriage to Captain Clarence Cox, master of the sealing schooner E. B. Marvin. The couple will leave in the morning for Maitland, N.S., the birthplace of the captain. They will be absent some time on the tour.

Captain Ridderbejelke Returns.

No less an important personage than Captain Ridderbejelke of the famous schooner Challenge or Challenger as she was latterly known, arrived in the city last night on the steamship Mexico from Sitka. It will be recalled by readers of the TIMES that the schooner, after being given up for lost with her entire crew, for nearly a year, turned up in Alaska where she had been seized for sealing in Behring Sea. The crew were held, the vessel seized and sold, and the master given ninety days in jail at Sitka. The vessel was sold to a missionary who proposed to introduce Christianity among the totem-pole worshipping Indians. He will use the boat to travel about. The captain completed his term, and is back into civilization to begin anew. He will probably take a mackerel fisher out.

In Vile Condition.

The state of affairs existing at the corner of Yates and Government streets, where Premier Davie's building is being erected, is simply awful. All foot passenger traffic is blocked unless to those whose business compels them to gain a few moments by wading through the appalling sea of muck at that point. With a glorious disregard for the rights of the people the building material has been strewn all over the roadway. Bricks, singly, in heaps and in wagon loads; huge blocks of stone, beams, lime barrels, the mortar mixing box, iron girders, planks, scantlings and what not, are jumbled together as if a Kansas cyclone had dropped the wreckage of a small town down upon the road, corner of Yates and Government. A feeble attempt has been made to afford some passage why for the public. But the few planks are more than half buried in the mud, and woe unto the rash passenger who steps heavily upon them. The rich, black mud squelches up in streams and ruins all clothing it touches. The place is a disgrace to the city.

WHAT BECOMES OF GOLD.

Enormous Amount of the Precious Metal Cannot be Accounted For.

The tendency to hide away gold is remarkable. Except what is seen by the public, in the form of jewelry, in gilding and ornaments on signs and buildings, in plating on various objects of art or use, all the gold is out of sight; it has wholly disappeared. What becomes of all the balance of the gold is a question which is oftener asked than answered, at least by the New Orleans Picayune. A vast amount of gold has been taken out of the earth within the century now nearly at a close, and it will be interesting to attempt to trace it. The United States did not count much as a producer until after the discovery of the mines in California. Since then, and up to the beginning of the year 1892, we find the total production of gold in the Union to be $1,900,000,000. These figures are taken from the superintendent of the mint for 1891, and are authoritative.

Now, where is the gold? The mint report for 1891 shows that the total amount of gold, in coin and bars, in the United States on the last day of December, 1891, was $588,654,211. This with what was known to remain in the country, in the possession of banks. Besides this amount $57,000,000 was known to have been exported to foreign countries, and $2,500,000 to have been worked up by goldsmiths for plate and jewelry, and by goldbeaters for dentists' foil and gilders' leaf. Therefore, out of $1,900,000,000 of gold produced in the United States up to the end of 1891, it was held that only about $689,000,000 remained in the country in the form of coin and bullion, while the enormous sum of $1,211,000,000 had entirely disappeared. Where can it be? Without doubt a great deal of it was sent to Europe. We have the government official returns. They show exports from 1843 to the end of 1891, in excess of imports, $470,000,000. This amount deducted from the remainder of $1,211,000,000, would leave a balance of $741,000,000.

Here, then, is the enormous amount of $741,000,000 in gold, which cannot be accounted for. How much of it is hid away in odd corners, in the old stockings of frugal housewives, in the hoards of misers? The people must have a large amount of gold coin so secreted. Handfuls of gold pieces treasured in broken teapots and other such receptacles, and even iron pots full, are sometimes dug up where they were buried and forgotten. It would not be surprising is more than $100,000,000 were so hidden away by the people. Then, there is a large amount in plate and ornaments, watches, jewelry, and in other forms in which gold is consumed. But how much is sunk in the sea, in rivers and in the lakes, by the wreck and burning of vessels? Nobody can answer. The most of this is lost forever. There are $741,000,000 of gold taken out since the discovery of California to be accounted for. Where is it?

Connoisseurs agree that the best and cheapest mantles, jackets, and winter garments are at the Albion House, Government street, E. White.*

Phœnix Lager Beer.

H. M. S. HYACINTHE.

Arrival of the Warship From China to Re-Commission and Replace H.M.S. Daphne

Her Second Commission on the Pacific—The Crew Will Return to England Next Month.

H.M.S. Hyacinthe, sent here to take the place on the Pacific station of H.M.S. Daphne, arrived in Esquimalt from Yokohama at 8:30 this morning. She had a pleasant run across, except on two occasions, when it blew very strongly, and the sea was heavy. The weather too, on both occasions grew very cold, the mercury dropping suddenly to 45 degs. She left Yokohama on September 3nd, and used her sails a good part of the distance over.

The Hyacinthe, after her completion at Devonport in 1885, was commissioned for this station, and then in 1889 recommissioned for the China station. She is here to recommission on this station again, and it is probable that H.M.S. Daphne will go to her place on the China station. Her crew will be paid off here on October 20th, and they will leave for England three days later. Her navigator, Mr. Ivan V. Humphries, and surgeon, Dr. Edward P. Ward, will be the only two officers that will remain. The new commission will arrive here on Nov. 8th over the C.P.R., by which route the old crew will also go home. The ship will go to Vancouver to deport the present crew and receive the new one.

Just previous to coming here the vessel was at Singapore for fifteen months. She then went to Hong Kong for six weeks. She then proceeded to Otanarai, Japan, where she met with the flagship of Sir E. R. Fremont, K.C.B., Admiral of the squadron at the Chinese station. The Hyacinthe was there for orders, and was, as stated, directed to proceed to Esquimalt and recommission. The admiral was just leaving for his annual inspection of the station. He has 31 vessels under his command.

The officers of the Hyacinthe state that the reports of cholera in Japan are not true. The U.S. gunboat Alliance left Japan for San Francisco just ahead of the Hyacinthe. She too, is to recommission.

The officers of the Hyacinthe are: Captain Robt. W. Craigie, Lieutenants Edward G. Shortland and Selby H. B. Ash; Navigator Ivan V. Humpheries, Chief Engineer Alfred J. Nye, Surgeon Edward P. Ward, Gunner Joseph J. Lonnon, Boatswains Alex. McGregor and Robert Ford, Carpenter Charles Hathard, and Clerk Harald C. Pearson.

The Hyacinthe is a screw cruiser of the third class, and is registered as 252 in the naval list. She has a tonnage of 1420, and her horse-power is 1190. She has two double cylinder high pressure engines of the latest improved kind. They formerly gave her a speed of eleven knots, but her bottom has gathered a sufficient quantity of kelp and barnacles to decrease her speed to nine. She has four boilers. She is full rigged and used her sails considerably. She carries eight six inch modern breech loaders. She has just received her guns from England. Her old guns were the same pattern as those formerly used on H.M.S. Cordelia, one of which, it will be remembered, exploded in the Mediterranean some time ago doing terrible damage among the gun's crew and to the ship. The dimensions of the Hyacinthe are: 260 feet long, 30 feet beam and depth forward 13.5 and 16.5 aft. She carries a crew of 175.

The crew saw nothing of the Japanese warship reported as coming to Victoria. They saw the smoke of a vessel south of Copper Island, but she was away off. Two days ago they sighted a sealing schooner heading south. She also was a long way off. A TIMES man who went aboard the Hyacinthe this afternoon was accorded a very pleasant reception. Her officers are all very affable gentlemen, who kindly gave all the information in their power.

An Evening of Social Joys.

The social at St. Paul's Presbyterian church, Victoria West, was a financial and general success. Everybody who attended was glad to have done so. The hall was crowded, and the following programme was listened to with great pleasure. Mrs. Munsie, a brilliant pianoforte selection; Miss Jameson, a vocal solo and encore; Miss Hutcheson, a song and encore; Mr. A. Semple, a recitation; Messrs. Grant and Moir, a vocal duet; Mr. Landells, reading; Miss Turnbull, a song, and by special request, gave one of the "auld Scotch sangs" in splendid style. Mrs. Moir also sang a Scotch song with great feeling and expression; Mr. and Mrs. Moir, a duet; Sergeant Mellon, reading. Rev. Dr. Campbell delivered a short and interesting address. Refreshments were served at the conclusion of the concert, and here the ladies showed themselves to rare advantage. The happy meeting broke up well inside the "elder's hour."

A Little Inclined to Frenchiness.

"Little Tippett" closed a fairly successful two nights' engagement at the Victoria last evening. The people in the cast are all clever, but the piece has not only a tinge but a stamp of the French. True, it is French entirely, but the adaptation is English or American, and it is for English or American audiences. The play was heartily enjoyed by some and it would not be fair on the other hand to call those who did not go into ecstasies prudish. There was nothing strong about the lines, but the undercurrent created by things implied, not said, was there. In a novel the theme might not be so objectionable, but in the living, speaking, thinking picture that the stage gives, it certainly is.

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Exhibition.

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Longer Limit on Round Trip Tickets.

The Northern Pacific Railroad Co. has decided to make final limit of tickets from Pacific coast points to eastern points and return, nine months instead of six months, as heretofore.

Evening Classes.

A commercial evening department will be started in connection with Corrig College. Classes will meet Monday and Thursday evenings. Shorthand, book-keeping and commercial correspondence will be the subjects taught.

Out Hunting Bear.

Mr. L. H. Webber, of Victoria, is hunting bear at Oyster Bay. He went there on his yacht, the Ariel. Dr. Newcomb and his two sons were with him on his cruise, but left him at Comox. Dr. Newcomb is now hunting on Hornby island.

The New Opera Chairs.

The new plush chairs for the parquette of the Victoria theatre arrived last evening from the East, and will be put in place immediately. The chairs now down will be moved back. Manager Cort says that the changes will be completed by Oct. 10, when Margaret Mather comes far a two nights' engagement.

Coming to Victoria.

The first four-masted steel schooner is reported having been just completed in Liverpool, the model having been taken from vessels recently built on the Pacific coast. She has been called the Americana. She is 1250 tons register and was built for the lumber trade on this coast. She will sail in a few days for Victoria

Special Salvation Services.

Staff Captain Banks, S.A., assisted by the officers from the surrounding corps, will lead special meetings, beginning to-night at the Salvation Army barracks, corner of Fort and Broad streets. This evening will be Trade Union meeting. To-morrow evening, Hindoo meeting and on Friday a half night of prayer.

Drunks and Vags.

A lonely drunk occupied the police court dock this morning. Richard Williams was given the chance of paying $5 or being jailed for ten days. There was also a charge recorded against "Sandy" Williams of being a frequenter of a house of ill-fame. But "Sandy" had not been served with the necessary summons to appear.

Not the Reporter's Fault.

The terribly mixed character of the report of the ball, published in the morning paper, is attributed by several gentlemen who profess to know whereof they speak, to the wine, most of which was of a brand to which the reporter was altogether unaccustomed. The TIMES makes this explanation in justice to the reporter, whose native modestly would permit him to remain in a false position. He would have done better if there had been no wine at all.

Russian Courtesy.

It is stated on reliable authority that H.M.S. Melpomene, which arrived a few days ago from Behring Sea, spoke the Russian cruiser Zabiaka, but was passed by. It is stated that the Melpomene hoisted her signals, but the Russian cruiser paid no attention to them. Agent J. M. Macoun is the gentleman credited with the above, but the TIMES man could not see him. The above would indicate that the Russians have more respect for our sealers even than a British warship. They stopped for the former.

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ADIEU DUBOURDIEU.

Farewell Ball by Victoria's Citizens to the Officers of the French Flagship.

Beautiful Decorations and Elegant Costumes—Everybody Has a Very Good Time.

Assembly Hall was a scene of beauty and of gaiety last night, when about 500 of Victoria's leading citizens came forth to tender their last act of hospitality to the officers of the French flagship Dubourdieu, which sailed to-day for France. The decorations were the most elaborate and most tasteful ever seen at a citizens' ball in Victoria. With rare skill the varicolored materials of bunting, evergreens, rich flowers and draperies were blended, forming a picture upon which the eye never tired looking. Here and there on the walls the semi-military character of the meeting was denoted by trophies of arms arranged in fanciful designs. Conspicuous among the decorations were the British Union Jack and the tricolor of the French Republic, mingling their proud folds in amity.

Pleasant recesses, into which the tired dancers could withdraw to rest awhile after the efforts of the various numbers on the programme, were placed at convenient intervals. The floor shone again under the lights, its waxed surface looking like a mirror. The decoration of the hall was superintended by Mr. J. L. Raymur, who had a staff of bluejackets from the Warspite under his command. The greatest credit is due them for the artistic manner in which the executed their difficult task.

The conventional evening dress of the society man was pleasingly varied by the exquisite toilettes of the ladies, many of which were of surpassing beauty and costliness. The uniforms of the French and British naval officers and of the officers of the batteries also had a most pleasing effect.

When the Lieut.-Governor and Mrs. Nelson arrived they were received by Mayor Beaven and the reception committee and escorted to the upper end of the hall, the band playing "God Save the Queen." The scene was a most impressive one and aroused the greatest enthusiasm among all present. When Admiral Parrayon and staff, the guests of the evening, reached the entrance, the mayor and reception committee also received them with due ceremony and much cordiality. While they were being escorted up the hall the band burst forth into the soul-stirring strains of "La Marseillaise," the national hymn of the republic of France. It was a thrilling spectacle, and one never to be forgotten by any beholder. The Admiral and his gallant officers sustained the honor of their country on this occasion with that elegance and grace which have distinguished Frenchmen from the time of Cæsar. The meeting between the vice-regal party and the French officers was a pleasing scene, the utmost cordiality and heartiness characterising the greetings on both sides.

The music was very fine and was played by the band of H.M.S. Warspite, under the leadership of Acting Conductor Donohue.

The first set in the opening dance, the lancers, was composed as follows: His Worship the Mayor and Mrs. Nelson; Admiral Parrayon and Mrs. Beaven; Lieut.-Governor Nelson and Mrs. McDonald; Admiral Hotham and Mrs. Walkem; Chief Justice Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie, Kt., and Mrs. Earle; Senator McDonald and Mrs. Pooley; Thomas Earle, M.P., and Mrs. Turner; Col. E. G. Prior, M.P., and Mrs. Higgins.

The dancing then became general and was participated in with the utmost heartiness by the large number present. Seldom has there been such a gathering of Victoria's brightest, fairest and most fashionable, and seldom has any event here passed off with so much genuine enjoyment to everyone present. The festivities were kept up until the "wee sma' hours." The French officers expressed themselves as deeply conscious of the honor that the Queen City had done them and bade adieu to their many friends here with protestations of undying regard and affection. The gallant Frenchmen enjoyed themselves thoroughly last night, and showed it as only the vivacious Gauls can. Their departure is regretted by everyone with whom they came in contact and they are voted everywhere "jolly good fellows."

SMALL BOATS IN WARFARE.

Attacks of Mariners That Call for Skill and Bravery.

The annals of every maritime country are enriched with the stirring victories of boat expeditions and with the gallant deeds of seamen and marines landed as artillery and infantry battalions. Sea wars have ever been illustrated by the successful operation of small craft, both in flotillas and as single boats; and so brilliant have been many such actions that often, when the battles of fleets can be but hazily remembered, these minor but no less heroic exploits are recalled with a distinctness and freshness which still fire the patriotic soul. Something of this may be due, of course, to the popular idealization of the sailor, for the qualities demanded and displayed in these adventures are such as appeal strongly to the imagination, but, on the other hand, the seamen engaged in them have been inspired always to special deeds of daring both by the novelty of the enterprises and by the great rewards promised in national and naval reputation, says J. J. Kelly in Harper's Weekly.

The war of the revolution was notable for the excellent and hazardous boat work accomplished. Jeremiah O'Brien in the Margaretta affair, Whipple in the attack on the Gaspe, Silas Talbot in the North, the whaleboats of the creeks and tidewaters of Virginia, John Barry on the Delaware and dozens of others everywhere, from the Penobscot to the Gulf of Mexico, our mosquito fleets were perniciously active in brilliant attacks upon the enemy. These traditions were sustained undimmed in the war of 1812, in the attack upon the pirates of the West Indies in 1821 and in the Mexican and civil wars, and their plain, unvarnished yarns read like romances, and their results were, in the light of the means employed, at times marvelous.

On shipboard the drill known technically as "Arm and away all boats" has, apart from its usefulness, a picturesque quality. Briefly described, its purpose is to provide ship boats and their crews with the requisites for shore or distant service. This duty may demand the cutting out of the enemy's vessel either in the assailant's own harbor or off his own coast, or it may mean an attack upon the shore defenses, seaports, river towns or crafts of various kinds belonging to the enemy. Sometimes the work is a temporary landing for drills, or for an encampment on the beach; sometimes it may be a routine inspection or an exercise of boats under oars.

In each circumstance, of course, the equipment varies to some degree, but you may be sure that in every case too many accessories, too much impedimenta, will crowd the boats, let chiefs of bureau struggle as they may against this tendency, let officers and men growl sea-fashion as they will. When the bugle sounds the call, it is a bustling, breezy, heart-warming sight to see how soon order emerges from apparent confusion as cutters, launches, whale boats, and the rest of them, from barge to dingy, are lowered into the water, equipped, armed, manned and inspected.

The lumbering boat boxes, the rotund boat stave of unholy memory, the bags of bread, the breakers of water—the biscuits broken into shreds, the water cribbed subsequently by its guardian for a clean wash down—the artillery, the skids which we were taught to run out and lay straight with a playful nursery rhyme that no one could remember when needed; in short, the hundred odd and even articles, the mere enumeration of all that has to appear by magic and fit like a glove would fill a baker's dozen of paragraphs, and may not enter here.

In the larger boats the marines—point device in their effective fatigue uniform—are stowed without much regard to their toes or ribs or tempers, and in the bows of certain launches and cutters machine guns and howitzers, sometimes shielded, are mounted. Finally, as if by some occult agency, the boats shove off and take the places assigned them, and in the order designated by the fluttering signals of the flotilla's flag boat. Then answering pennants are doused, and with straining oars or puffing steam jets, and amid furrows of foam, the boats dash for the point of attack or for the line where the evolutions are to begin.

The tactical principles of boat attacks have varied but slightly since Benbow's days of hard knocks, scurvy and short commons, but, as with the other essentials of sea warfare, great advances have been made in the development of the material. These have been mainly in the armament and equipment; perhaps less in the latter, for while steam is employed as a motive power to a definite degree, sails and oars must be largely used. A century ago expeditions were armed to the teeth with cutlasses—or cutlasses—boarding pikes, muskets and huge pistols, these last being flint locked ordnance, even more clumsy than those contemporaneous shore weapons which united the handiness of a bell-mouthed blunderbuss to the efficiency of a stone sling.

Precussion muskets came later, then rifles and revolvers, with a piece de resistance in the shape of a brass or bronze boat gun, usually of small caliber and moderate range, and fitted to be used with a field carriage or upon sliding mount in the boat. To-day gun development has reached a stage which demands, for the highest efficiency, a rifle of small caliber, rather under than over one-third of an inch, and a smokeless powder cartridge. The destructiveness of this weapon is secured by a flight of many bullets almost straight from the muzzle—that is in flat trajectory—leaving no ground or zone protected in the travel from the piece to the object. Among all the war Powers the keenest activity prevails in this direction and the secrecy with which their achievements are preserved is so marvelous that to-day no outsider seems to know what, for example, the French cartridge—bullet and powder—exactly is.

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These words were uttered by Ald. Humber, chairman of the police committee, to-day. Ald. Humber was standing on Government street and eyeing the soft coat of mud upon the street. A wagon passed quickly and the semi-solid, semi-liquid compound was liberally sprinkled over half a dozen people on the sidewalk. The worthy alderman placed his thumbs in the armpits of his vest and looked again.

"I don't see why those drunks in the jail should not come out here and work. The city is keeping nine of them in the lockup in idleness now. It is a very good place for them to spend the winter. For the first offence they get a week. The sentence is increased for the second offence and for the third they get a couple of months and then the winter is over. And of course the city pays the board bill. Now, if we had these gentlemen out here earning their keep and exercising their superabundant muscle, we might turn this yearning for the cosy comforts of the prison to good account. I'll try it."

And the head of the police committee went off to attend a meeting of that body.

IN EAST KOOTENAY.

Some Mineral Discoveries—The Bobbie Burns Closed Down.

Golden Era.]

Mr. James Brady, of the Thunder Hill Mining Company, has been in town this week and reports everything looking well in that district.

The machinery for the Hyak has been put in position this week and seems to suit the purpose for which it is intended admirably.

All the men from the Bobbie Burns mine came into town this week. We do not hear how this close down has come about so suddenly, as we have understood that there is plenty of gold out there, but there is a rumor to the effect that some western mining men are negotiating for the property.

Mr. Leslie Hill, who last week went with Mr. H. R. Moodie to the Jubilee mountain to report on the mineral resources of that district, returned on Sunday last and says that from the examination he has made there is no doubt that with the discreet investment of capital and a little prospecting on a scientific basis, the mountain will prove to many a Jubilee in more ways than one.

A good deal of excitement has been caused in Donald by the discoveries of several good mining properties in Bush river, Blue Water and Quartz creek districts. A good deal of prospecting has been done and many claims recorded. The door of the court house is to be seen nearly covered with notices, written by those who intend applying, etc. In Quartz creek district 14 men are now engaged making preparations for the working of hydraulics in the early spring. Mr. Foster, a wealthy English gentleman, has come to the assistance of the miners.

Railway Time-Table Changes.

The change in the E. & N. Railway time-table goes into effect on October 1. The north bound trains will leave Victoria at 3:08 p.m. instead of 2:34 p.m., arriving in Wellington at 6:34 instead of 6:24. This change applies to No. 4 passenger train Saturdays and Sundays. The time of departure of No. 2, the daily passenger service, is unaltered. This train leaves Victoria at 8 a.m. and Wellington at 8:10 p.m. No. 3, Saturdays and Sundays, will leave Wellington at 1:59 p.m. instead of 4:30 p.m. This train will arrive in Victoria at 8 p.m.

Dental Association Officers.

The Dental Association elected officers this afternoon: President, T. J. Jones, Victoria; First Vice, A. J. Holmes, Westminster; Second Vice, W. J. Curry, Nanaimo; Sec.-Treasurer, A. C. West, Victoria; Executive Council, C. H. Gatewood, Vancouver; A. J. Holmes, Westminster; and R. F. Verrinder, Victoria.

Drs. Jones and R. F. Verrinder were chosen delegates to the World's Fair Dental Convention. Westminster was named as the next place of the meeting of the association. A banquet was held at the Driard in the evening.

ANOTHER CONFERENCE WANTED

TO THE EDITOR:—Ald. Styles, Bragg and Hall,—the Tooley street tailors—might again interview the czar on the question of the street blockade at the corner of Government and Yates streets. The contractors for Mr. Theo. Davie's building have left the streets in an impassable condition. Although the law requires that a plankwalk shall be constructed around the building material, which may occupy one-third of the street, pedestrians are compelled to wade through mud two or three inches deep. A country village would be ashamed to permit such a condition of things, more especially during exhibition week. Mr. Davie, contractors and the three simple-minded aldermen are all alike responsible. A conference might result in a better condition of affairs.

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Dr. Mead, of Bath, England, writing upon the subject of hydrophobia, in April, 1750, gave this recipe: "When a human being or other animal has been bitten by a dog suspected of rabies, in order to ascertain if the poison has entered the wound, or indeed to test whether or not the dog was mad at all, the following precaution, which was first discovered by the ancients and written of by one Cœlius Sætonius in the Second century, will declare the truth absolutely, viz.: Take a small portion of moistened bread and rub it into the wound. Give a portion of this bread to a hen or chicken, and if the dog had rabies the fowl will immediately die. Should the bread not affect the fowl there need be no apprehension whatever of the bitten party taking hydrophobia, and consequently it will not be wise to kill the dog; certainly it will not be necessary, because it has been demonstrated that the dog was not mad."

How to Care for an Umbrella.

After coming in out of the rain let the umbrella down and stand it on the handle, that it may dry in this position; the water will thus drip from the edges of the frame and the cover dry uniformly. When placed with the handle upward, as is frequently done, the water runs to the top of the umbrella, and the moisture is there retained in the lining underneath the ring for some length of time, causing the silk or fabric with which the frame is covered to become tender and soon rot. Ordinarily the top of an umbrella wears out sooner than the other part of it, and in the majority of cases may be thus accounted for.

How Fast Rivers Run.

In speaking of the velocity of rivers what are called "rapids" are not considered, since they are practically waterfalls, or the direct effects of cataracts. Leaving these out of the question the velocity of the swiftest rivers is less than might be hastily supposed. Even the Mississippi at its swiftest only travels about 3¼ miles an hour. The Father of Waters, however, is by no means the swiftest of the great rivers of the world, for the Nile flows nine miles an hour, and the Congo about seven. The lower Amazon only flows three. The River Rhone is said to be the swiftest of any that are not cataracts or rapids, and in places its current is as swift as forty miles an hour. Sir Charles Lyell has calculated that a stream of water flowing forty feet a minute will carry coarse sand along its bottom; one of sixty feet will move gravel; one of 120 feet will move pebbles, and one of 180 feet will carry angular stones as large as an egg.

How to Wash Flannels.

Flannels that have become yellow from being badly laundered may be restored to their pristine freshness by soaking for several hours in a lather made of a quarter pound of curd soap and two tablespoonfuls of carbonate of ammonia dissolved in five gallons of water. Boil small shavings of the soap in water until they are dissolved. Then add to the other ingredients. Let the flannel lie in the mixture until it looks whiter, then squeeze and press; rinse in bluing water and dry in the hot sun. Iron while still damp.

How to Make a Hand Grenade.

Fill old quart bottles with the following mixture: Choloride of lime, crude, twenty parts; common salt, five parts; water, seventy-five parts. Those who have convenient handpumps may keep this solution handy and throw it with the pump.

How to Keep Bright Eyes.

Never rub your eyes, nor allow your children to do so, from their cradles. Veils are bad for the sight, especially those spotted or covered with a pattern, so eschew veils when you can, or wear the softest, clearest net when obliged to do so. Never read in bed or when lying on the sofa. Sit with your back to the light when engaged in reading or working. Pale blues or greens are the most restful wall papers for the eyes, whereas red is exceedingly fatiguing. Do not read, write or work longer than two hours together without resting your eyes and closing them fully five minutes. Be most careful to live in a dry house on dry soil. Attend to the digestion, for did not Milton declare his blindness to proceed from the effects of dyspepsia? If the eyes be weak bathe them in a basin of soft water, in which a pinch of table salt and a dessertspoonful of brandy has been added.

How to Clean Marble Basins Easily.

The quickest way to remove the hard deposit on a marble basin is to rub it well with salt. This will also cause the black spots where water has dripped to disappear at once.

How to Feed a Parrot.

The best diet consists of hempseed, sunflower seed, Indian corn and such fruit as apples, oranges, bananas or cherries. No rich nuts are allowed, but peanuts can be safely used. The bird will need cuttlefish, of course, but meat is best used sparingly. A red pepper during molting and a piece of raw onion the size of an egg every two weeks are good tonics. The birds will also eat bread and crackers soaked in coffee, which may be given every day. Gray parrots can be offered water, but green birds must first be tested by having it once a day for fear of dysentery. Then twice a day will do until the bird is so accustomed to it that it can be left in the cage. Young parrots are to have soft food, such as rice boiled ten minutes and then freed of its starch by being rinsed, or boiled eggs, bread and coffee and fruit. If old birds become ill and will not eat give them the same food as young birds, being careful to keep them warm.

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NOTICE.

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G. L. MILNE, M.D.

Victoria, Sept 1, 1892. se2

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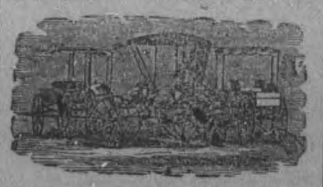

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September 28th.

J. T. McIlmoyl, Peter Imrie, John T. Downey, Walter Copeland, Joseph John, D. John, J. T. Harrison, R. H. Breeds, Samuel Roberts, Donald McDonald, John Nee bigging, Mrs. Mills, J. A. John, John Cavin, William Robertson, W. Armstrong.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

APOLOGY.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 22, 1892.

S. Perry Mills, Esq., Solicitor for Gustav Leiser, City:

DEAR SIR.—Your favor referring to the publication in our supplement for September, of a judgment against your client, Mr. Gustav Leiser, to hand.

In reply we beg to say that the judgment referred was given against Mr. Gustav Larson, but through a typographical error was made to read Gustav Leiser.

We regret very exceedingly that such a mistake should have occurred and will make the necessary correction in supplement now being prepared; so that each of our subscribers will fully understand how this regretable error happened. We also agree to publish this letter in the VICTORIA EVENING TIMES for one week and pay your costs.

Hoping this will be satisfactory to Mr. Leiser, we remain,

Yours truly,
THE B. C. MERCANTILE AGENCY,
Per G. GILES, Mgr.

Accepted.
S. PERRY MILLS,
Solicitor for Gustav Leiser. 1w

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 30 days after date we intend to apply to the Honourable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut and carry away timber from the land described as follows:—Commencing at a point one-half mile south of the south-west corner of A. Russell's claim at White Rock Bay, Reed Island, B. C.; thence running north along the western boundary of A. Russell's claim to the north-west corner thereof; thence east one mile; thence north one mile; thence west to coast line; thence south along the coast line to a point due west of the point of commencement; thence east to the point of commencement; containing one thousand acres, more or less. JAMES MORRIS,
Sept 23.—1m. M. C. IRELAND.

Schooner Penelope.

All parties having claims against the Schooner Penelope, are requested to present them for payment to the undersigned, not later than the 1st of October next.

D. URQUHART.
Victoria, Sept. 21.—td.

To Whom it May Concern.

TAKE NOTICE that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to establish a road sixty feet wide: Commencing at an iron gate on the Foul Bay Road on the westerly boundary of Section Forty-seven, Victoria District; thence following the present road to Shoal Bay; thence following the shore line by Point Gonzales to the Oak Bay Hotel.

J. C. PREVOST.
Victoria, B. C., 16th September, 1892.—1m

NOTICE

Is hereby given pursuant to the provisions of "An Act respecting certain works constructed in or upon Navigable Waters," Cap. 92 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, that I, the undersigned, shall 30 days after date apply to the Governor-General of Canada in Council for his approval of a certain wharf, proposed to be constructed by me in Victoria Harbor, fronting Lot 16, Block L, Harbor Estate, in the City of Victoria, British Columbia, and that I have deposited plans thereof and a description of the proposed site with the Minister of Public Works, at Ottawa, and a duplicate of each in the office of the Registrar General of Titles, at Victoria, aforesaid. Dated the 7th day of September, 1892. ROWLAND WM. COLVIN, by his Solicitor, LINDLEY CREASE. se7-1m

BOARD OF HEALTH.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Corporation of the City of Victoria will not be responsible for any liability in connection with "The Board of Health," which has not been authorized by the Chairman of the Finance Committee, Alderman John B. Lovell.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
July 30, 1892. Clerk Municipal Council. aug1

NOTICE,

re Schooner Ariel, McLeod, Master.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS against the schooner "Ariel" are requested to send same to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of October next, and all persons indebted to the said schooner are requested to pay to the undersigned the amounts due on or before the said 1st day of October next.

H. G. HALL,
12 Bastion Square, Victoria.
Solicitor for the owners of the schooner "Ariel."
Victoria, B. C., Sept. 6th, 1892. sep6-1d

Estate of Ira Wilson, Deceased.

All claims against the above estate are to be handed in to the executors, Messrs. George Deane and William Whittaker, who will collect all outstanding debts owing to the estate, which must be settled forthwith. All accounts must be certified and handed in to the undersigned under cover to the above named executors.

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Dec. 30.

WESTMINSTER WIRINGS.

A Lawyer and a Government Clerk Fight For Gore.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Sept. 28.—Frank Wright has been fined $25 in the police court for selling liquor in Queen's Park at the exhibition without a license.

The licensing court sat this morning. T. Levy again made application for a license for the International, but met with strong opposition from the ladies of the W. C. T. U. He has some show of getting it this time, but the case was adjourned one week that the names on the petition may be examined.

The Rugby football club hold their annual general meeting to-morrow evening. There is every indication of the club living this season.

Two bloods, one a young lawyer, the other a provincial land office clerk, had a boxing bout Tuesday evening in a stable at the west end of the city. The lawyer knocked out his opponent in the first round. The affair has created much talk in the city, and the fight was witnessed by a select few.

An Indian named Paul was sentenced to four months this morning for stealing coal off the steamer Delaware.

CABLING MADE EASY.

Transmission of Dispatches Facilitated by a New Invention.

New York World.]

Electricians in this city are greatly interested by a discovery which has just been made by M. Willot, government inspector of telegraphs, in Paris, and as the result of which it is claimed that within a few weeks one will be able to send a cable message from New York to Paris with the same facility and celerity that one now sends a message from Paris to Versailles.

Hitherto such celerity has been unattainable and for obvious reasons. Though for years experts have been striving to find a remedy the submarine cable has retained the qualities of a condenser, and after each emission of the current has remained charged with electricity for a certain time, during which it has been found impossible to send any new signal with the requisite clearness. As a result the currents are feeble, and the instruments employed in aerial telegraphy proving ineffective a galvanometer is used and the oscillations corresponding to the Morse alphabet are automatically recorded. By this method a message cannot be sent from Algiers to Paris in much less time than two hours and a half, of which two minutes are required for the transmission of the electric current and ten for the translation of the cablegram.

M. Willot's aim has for years been to invent an instrument which, being placed at the two terminal points of a cable, would receive signals from an ordinary instrument and convey them across the cable without being influenced by condensation. In this aim he claims to have succeeded, and, as a proof of his statement, he points to certain experiments which have been made between Marseilles and Algiers. By the cable between these two places, which is a thousand kilometres in length and has an average capacity of sixty dispatches an hour. M. Willot has been able to send 100 dispatches an hour with the Hugues instrument and 200 with the Wheatstone instrument. The same satisfactory result was also obtained in telegraphing directly from Algiers to Paris.

Experiments are also to be made on the cable from Havre to New York, which is 3600 kilometers in length, the object being to ascertain whether the new invention will prove available in the case of long distances. Mr. Willot is confident of success, and maintains that by the use of his instrument it will be possible to send one hundred despatches an hour over a trans-Atlantic cable which is more than three times the number now sent. He is also confident that the number of cable dispatches will be largely increased by the use of his instrument. On these points he certainly can claim to speak with authority, as it is he who some years ago invented the instrument which is known to electricians as the Willot relay.

The Popular Songs of France.

The music that is born among the mountains seems to have a singular beauty of its own. As a type of the love songs of Auvergne, we are directed to the melody of Chateaubriand's lovely romance, "Combien j'ai douce souvenance," which has indeed a dreamy, calm, exhalted sweetness that reminds us of the Alps or the Cevennes. The greater warmth and life, as it seems, of the songs of the south is owing more to its sonorous language than to any superiority in melody; but again in the Pyrenees the mountain sweetness, with even a greater refinement, shows itself, and the music of the words is added to the tender and charming beauty of the tune. As to the Basque country, the chief feature of its melodies is their extreme liveliness, and the variety of treatment which gives them a more civilized air among popular songs generally. Provence, with her life of open air and sunshine, "bruyante et gaie," possesses no love songs but aubados and serenados, and for these she has little or no original melody. To her lazy-minded, bright-witted singers, imagination is easier than memory; they improvise the words of their songs to some bald old tune, or to some old air of a vaudeville. In Provence, it seems, the student can only find one love song, of which the air is an original Provencal melody. This is "Magali," universally popular, and preserved by Mistral in "Mireio."—Littell's Living Age.

Phœnix Lager Beer.

"Barbara Freitchie."

Everybody has read Whittier's "Barbara Freitchie," but very few know from what the poem had its origin. Many have supposed he first heard of the incident from Mrs. Southworth, the novelist, but this is not so. Not so long before his death the poet told an inquirer that he caught the conceit in this way: He was waiting for his mail at the Amesbury postoffice one day, and while thus detained listened to the narrative of a soldier, home on leave, who had been wounded at Monocacy and who witnessed the flag-flying episode, but could not tell the woman's name. Thereupon the poet wrote to the postmaster of Frederick, Mr. Wm. D. Jenks, and the latter replied: "In all probability the heroine's name is Barbara Freitchie." There was one circumstance which Whittier never cleared up to his own satisfaction. As he understood it the soldier described the heroine as a young woman; Mr. Jenks described her as four-score years and ten. "I never saw the soldier again," said Whittier, "neither do I know his name. All I could learn of him was that he was a member of a Massachusetts regiment. I have given Mr. Jenks' reply from memory, being too feeble to look through my accumulated correspondence and give his answer verbatim."

Railways in Palestine.

Railways in Palestine will be so common soon that no notice will be taken of them. A new line has been begun, starting from the old castle at Acre, passing north of Mount Carmel, across the plains of Esdraelon—with a station at Nazareth—and crossing the Jordan near Bethshan. Thence it will proceed with an easy gradient to Damascus. Already the Jaffa railway is working transformations. "Villas" are springing up at Jerusalem along the Jaffa road. A large hotel has been built near the Armenian convent, and the station for Bethelhem, predicted two generations ago by the author of "Eothen," is actually in hand. As if to emphasize the substitution of the modern for the ancient spirit, it is now announced that the quarrymen of Jerusalem have gone on strike. Just as soon as the march of improvements created a demand for more stone the quarrymen demanded more pay, which the contractors and builders refused to grant. Thereupon the stone workers "went out" in regular western fashion. Sooner, or later, probably, we shall hear of a sympathetic strike among the boys.—New York Evening Post.

Scotch Thrift.

An event which caused much stir in the little community was the introduction of gas. Previously oil of a coarse kind, or cannel coal placed on the front of the grate, had been used for lighting purposes. Candles were expensive and their light feeble, and so to a great extent the Squair was in a state of darkness, for necessity or thrift reduced the use of artificial light to the minimum. An old woman of frugal habits, who had means and appliances superior to her neighbors, and who rejoiced in the possession of a servant, used to say to that domestic, as the shades of evening began to descend, "Noo, Nannie, ye may pit the lamp on the table, an' if onybody o' consequence ca's ye can licht it."—The Scotsman.

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Military Companies on Wheels a Feature of the World's Fair.

A battalion of cyclists under full military discipline, trained for company drill in various arts of maneuvering upon the wheel, will be a novel feature of the parades and displays for Chicago during the coming year, says the Chicago News Record. The Associated Cycling Clubs have this project well under way and will establish several companies of wheelmen from the many clubs now composing the membership.

These soldiers of the wheel will be drilled under tactics specially adapted to the peculiarities of the bicycle, and riders will be selected from the different clubs of the city according to their fitness or familiarity with their steeds. Time and money will be used unsparingly to arrive at a perfect condition of discipline, under a commanding officer learned in tactics from the elementary school of foot soldiery to the formation of a battalion. Modern display tactics will enter largely into the course of study, for this merry corps of cycle soldiers will decorate the columns of the World's Fair civic parades and lead the innumerable processions of visiting cyclists that will congregate in Chicago during the coming year.

Such large clubs as the Chicago Cycling Club, the Lincolns and Illinois will furnish hardy soldiers from their ranks, and already individual riders have placed applications on file to be included in the mobilization of the Columbia Cycle Corps.

An acquaintance with the veteran riders of Chicago's older clubs discloses the existence of wheelmen who can direct their bicycles with marvelous precision, and as knights of the silent steed far surpass the exploits of the ancient warriors bold upon their charging horses.

There will be no rearing in the air, no champing of the bits, no restiveness at the bugle call or roll of drum, for the rider will be supreme in command. Although his mount be an inanimate product of the machine shop, its movements must truly obey his intelligence and can never be scourged for fractiousness nor jerked upon its haunches for feeling its oats.

There will be three companies of 23 men each, under a captain, two lieutenants, two sergeants and four corporals. The battalion will be under the command of a major, with an adjutant to rank as a lieutenant, also with a sergeant-major.

An Interesting Figure.

The sculpture room in the British museum which contains the fragments of the tomb erected by his widow to Mausolus of Asia Minor, a tomb immortalized in the word mausoleum, has been rearranged in accordance with modern views as it once existed. On a huge block of marble in the centre of the gallery are the statues of Mausolus and of the female figure called Artemisia, the widow, by some, but a goddess acting as charioteer by others. Murray, of the British museum, thinks that the chariot symbolizes marriage in general, after a commonly accepted Greek motif, and that Artemisia introduced the chariot with the meaning of a drive to represent her marriage. It is a fact that many people regard the drive taken by the bride from her own to her future home as a necessary part of the ceremonies. The British museum possesses fragments of the chariot and horses. Missing parts may be supplied with plaster of a decided color to show what is ancient and veritable, what is new and imagined.

Troubles of a Millionaire.

Wealth has brought its responsibilities to N. C. Creede, the Colorado mining millionaire. The postman who a year ago bore hardly a letter a month to the mushroom Crœsus now piles his table high with mail from all quarters of the hemisphere. Mr. Creede found it a novelty at first to open this heap of correspondence—it was one of the tangible delights of his new-found fame—but it has grown to be one of the worst of his burdens. Many letters contain touching appeals from disease-ridden people whose doctors have told them that they will die if not speedily dispatched to a health resort, and Mr. Creede is importuned to become the means of saving the sufferers' lives. Other epistles contain requests of every possible description, but all having a prompt remittance by return mail their object in view. The letters that have interested the new millionaire most are those that come from the fair hands of sighing spinsters and widows who find that they can survive no longer without the solace of Mr. Creede's love.

Portland Industrial Exposition.

The Portland Industrial Exposition opened on September 21st, under most favorable circumstances, and the exhibits are pronounced as being the best in years. The Northern Pacific Railroad company has made the low rate of $13 from Victoria to Portland and return, tickets being good for seven days from date of sale.

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